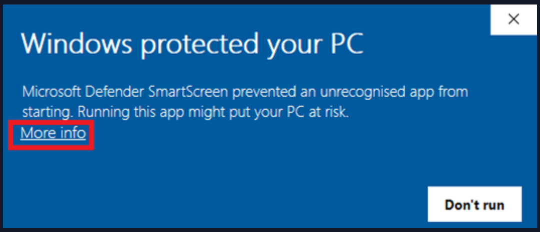
How to install Plutonium Mod

Plutonium Launcher

1. Download plutonium.exe

You can save the launcher anywhere you want, somewhere convenient such as your desktop or the game folder.

2. Open the launcher, if smart screen comes up click **More info**, then **Run anyway**.



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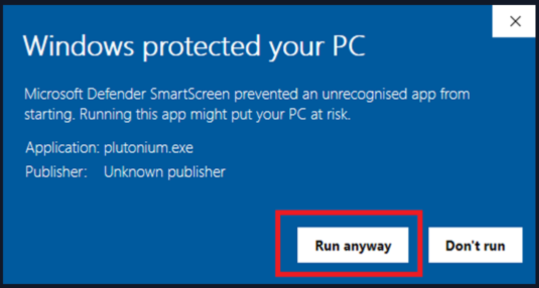

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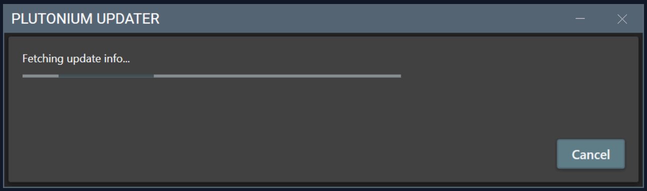
Application: plutonium.exe

Publisher: Unknown publisher

Run anyway
Don't run

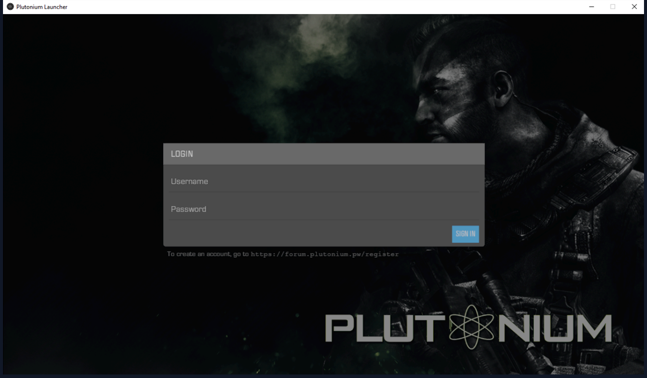
The launcher will now start the process of installing the client files.



PLUTONIUM UPDATER

Fetching update info...

3. Enter your forum credentials to login, if you don't already have a forum account you can create one here.



Plutonium Launcher
LOGIN
Username
Password
SIGN IN
PLUTONIUM

To create an account, go to https://forum.plutonium.pw/register

4. Setup the game you want to play.

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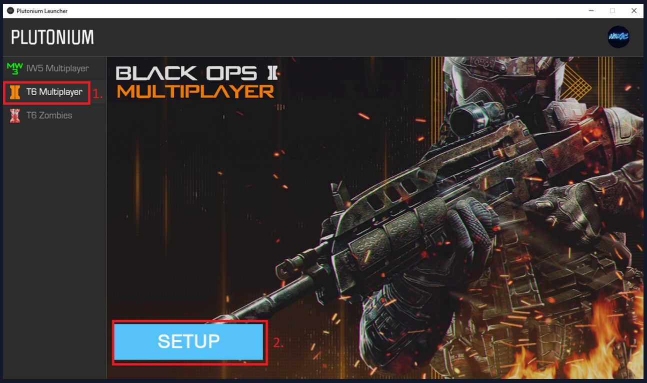
T6 (Black Ops 2)

Setting up T6 with the Plutonium Launcher

Navigate to Black Ops 2, click on **SETUP** and then select your Black Ops 2 game folder.
The folder you need to select is most likely called `Call of Duty Black Ops II` and should be in `{Drive letter}\Program Files (x86)\Steam\steamapps\common`.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BLACK OPS II
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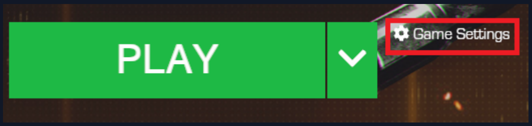
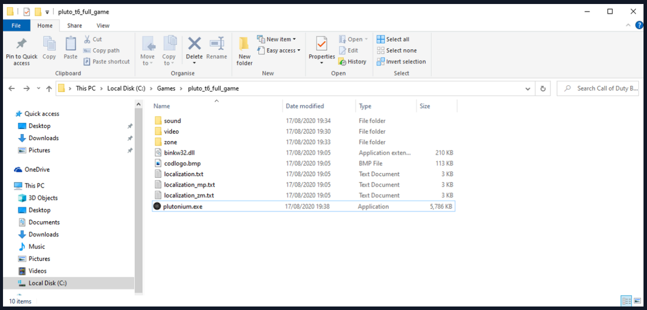
SETUP
2.

(If you ever need to reselect the game folder, simply click on Game Settings next to the PLAY button)


PLAY
Game Settings

For those struggling to locate your game folder, this is what the contents of the game folder will look like: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Search Call of Duty B...
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Pictures
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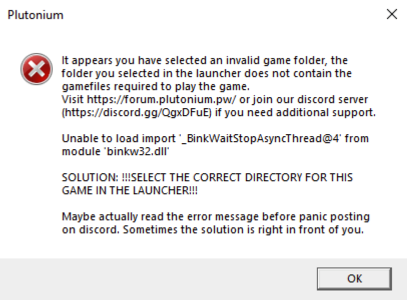
video	17/08/2020 19:30	File folder	
zone	17/08/2020 19:33	File folder	
binkw32.dll	17/08/2020 19:05	Application exten...	210 KB
codlogo.bmp	17/08/2020 19:05	BMP File	113 KB
localization.txt	17/08/2020 19:05	Text Document	3 KB
localization_mp.txt	17/08/2020 19:05	Text Document	3 KB
localization_zm.txt	17/08/2020 19:05	Text Document	3 KB
plutonium.exe	17/08/2020 19:38	Application	5,786 KB

T6 Error: Invalid Game Path

If you get this error then the folder that you selected during the setup doesn't contain the game files.


Plutonium
OK

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It appears you have selected an invalid game folder, the
folder you selected in the launcher does not contain the
gamefiles required to play the game.
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(https://discord.gg/QgxDFuE) if you need additional support.

Unable to load import '_BinkWaitStopAsyncThread@4' from
module 'binkw32.dll'

SOLUTION: !!!SELECT THE CORRECT DIRECTORY FOR THIS
GAME IN THE LAUNCHER!!!

Maybe actually read the error message before panic posting
on discord. Sometimes the solution is right in front of you.
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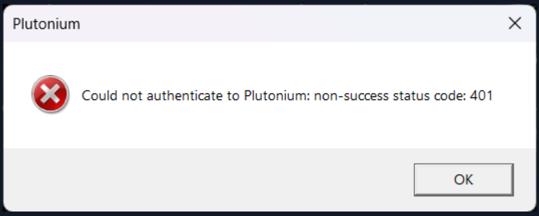
If you get this error then this means you selected your entire disk instead of the game folder.
`C:\` is not your Black Ops II folder.


Plutonium
OK

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In both cases, the way to fix this issue is to click on Game settings in the launcher and to select the folder that contains the Black Ops II files.
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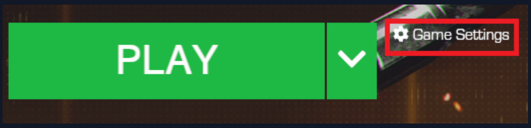

PLAY
Game Settings

Congratulations you have completed the installation guide.

To launch BO2 simply open the Plutonium launcher and select PLAY.

IW5 (Modern Warfare 3)

Installing the base game (MW3)

Note: This section will cover downloading a FREE copy of MW3. Please skip this section if you already have a copy of the game.

Please note we highly recommend buying the game if you do not own it, if you enjoy a game you should support it's developers.

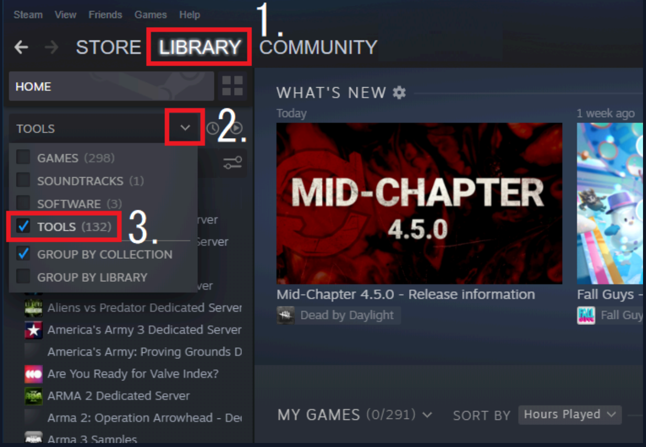
Open Steam, if you do not have Steam installed you can download it here.

Method 1

Click on this link to start the installation of Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3 - Dedicated Server in Steam steam://install/42750.

Method 2 (If Method 1 does not work)

1. Go to `LIBRARY` and from the dropdown menu select `TOOLS`.


Steam View Friends Games Help
1.
STORE
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HOME
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GAMES (298)
SOUNDTRACKS (1)
SOFTWARE (3)
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☑ GROUP BY COLLECTION
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Aliens vs Predator Dedicated Server
America's Army 3 Dedicated Server
America's Army: Proving Grounds D
Are You Ready for Valve Index?
ARMA 2 Dedicated Server
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Today
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MID-CHAPTER 4.5.0
Mid-Chapter 4.5.0 - Release information
Dead by Daylight
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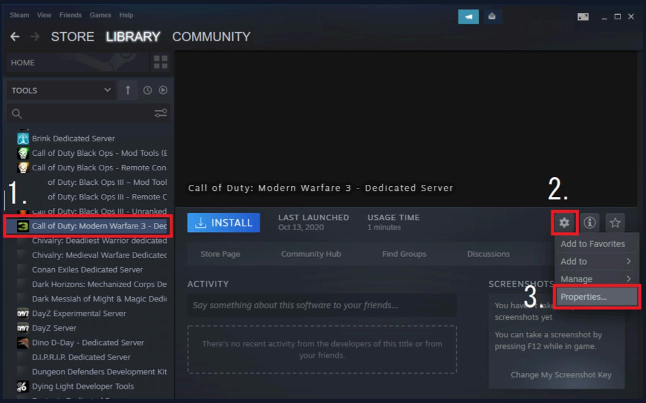
2. Locate `Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3 - Dedicated Server`, select it and then click the cog icon then `Properties`.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Chivalry: Medieval Warfare Dedicated
Conan Exiles Dedicated Server
Dark Horizons: Mechanized Corps De
Dark Messiah of Might & Magic Dedi
DayZ Experimental Server
DayZ Server
Dino D-Day - Dedicated Server
D.I.P.R.I.P. Dedicated Server
Dungeon Defenders Development Kit
Dying Light Developer Tools
Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3 - Dedicated Server
2.
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USAGE TIME 1 minutes
Add to Favorites
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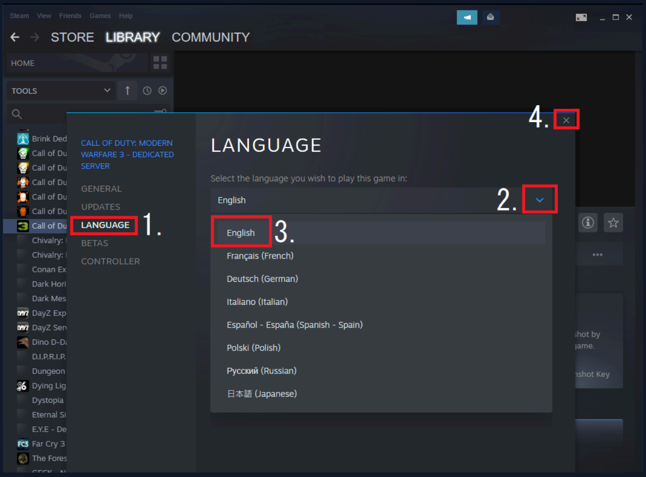
3.
Properties...
Store Page
Community Hub
Find Groups
Discussions
ACTIVITY
Say something about this software to your friends...
There's no recent activity from the developers of this title or from your friends.
SCREENSHOTS
You haven't taken any screenshots yet
You can take a screenshot by pressing F12 while in game.
Change My Screenshot Key

3. Navigate to the `LANGUAGE` tab and ensure the language is set to `English`. This is very important as the Steam MW3 Dedicated Server can not install properly for other languages. Failing to do so will result in missing files and errors later on.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LANGUAGE
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English
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English
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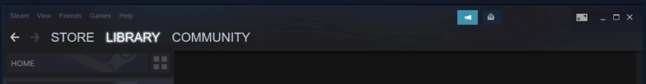
Français (French)
Deutsch (German)
Italiano (Italian)
Español - España (Spanish - Spain)
Polski (Polish)
Русский (Russian)
日本語 (Japanese)

TIP

If you want the game in your native language we suggest purchasing the game and its DLCs on a key site or during a Steam sale.

4. Select `INSTALL` then `Next` then `Finish`.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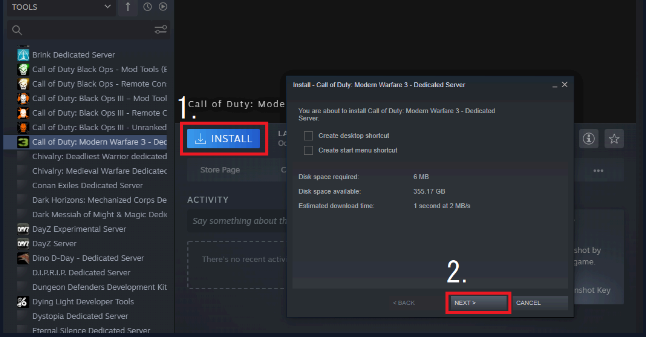
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ACTIVITY
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NEXT >
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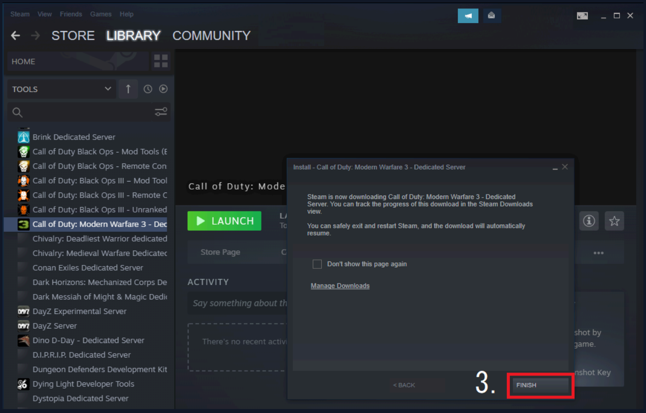
Install - Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3 - Dedicated Server

You are about to install Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3 - Dedicated Server.

☐ Create desktop shortcut
☐ Create start menu shortcut

Disk space required: 6 MB
Disk space available: 355.17 GB
Estimated download time: 1 second at 2 MB/s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FINISH

Install - Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3 - Dedicated Server

Steam is now downloading Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 3 - Dedicated Server. You can track the progress of this download in the Steam Downloads view.

You can safely exit and restart Steam, and the download will automatically resume.

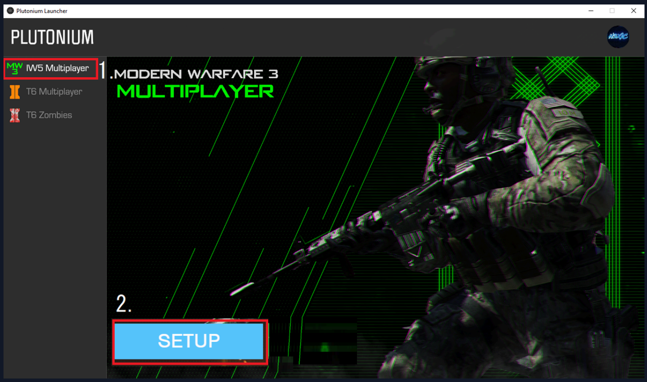
☐ Don't show this page again

Manage Downloads

Now simply wait for the download to complete, you can monitor progress by clicking the `DOWNLOADS` text at the bottom of Steam. Once the download completes you will have a copy of MW3.

Setting up IW5 with the Plutonium Launcher

Navigate to Modern Warfare 3, click on **SETUP** and then select your Modern Warfare 3 game folder.
The folder you need to select will be called `Call of Duty Modern Warfare 3`.
Do not select your Games folder or your Document folders. **Select the folder with Modern Warfare 3 files in it!**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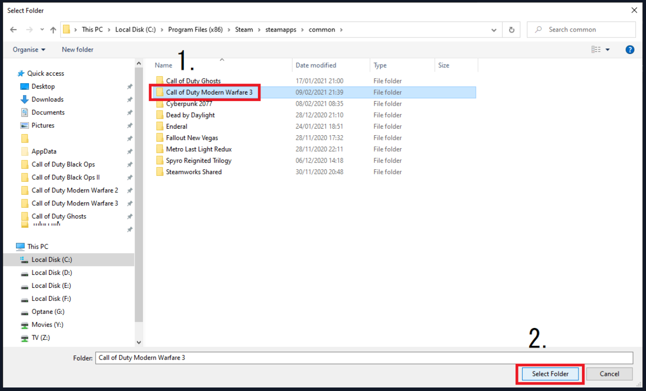
PLUTONIUM
IW5 Multiplayer
T6 Multiplayer
T6 Zombies
1.
MODERN WARFARE 3
MULTIPLAYER
2.
SETUP

- **If you have followed along with this guide it will be in this location:** `C:\Program Files (x86)\Steam\steamapps\common\Call of Duty Modern Warfare 3`.


Select Folder
This PC › Local Disk (C:) › Program Files (x86) › Steam › steamapps › common ›
Search common
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New folder
Quick access
Desktop
Downloads
Documents
Pictures
AppData
Call of Duty Black Ops
Call of Duty Black Ops II
Call of Duty Modern Warfare 2
Call of Duty Modern Warfare 3
Call of Duty Ghosts
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Select Folder
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Name	Date modified	Type	Size
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Call of Duty Modern Warfare 3	09/02/2021 21:39	File folder	
Cyberpunk 2077	08/02/2021 08:35	File folder	
Dead by Daylight	28/12/2020 21:10	File folder	
Enderal	24/01/2021 18:51	File folder	
Fallout New Vegas	28/11/2020 17:32	File folder	
Metro Last Light Redux	28/11/2020 22:11	File folder	
Spyro Reignited Trilogy	06/12/2020 14:18	File folder	
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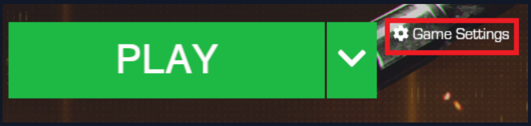
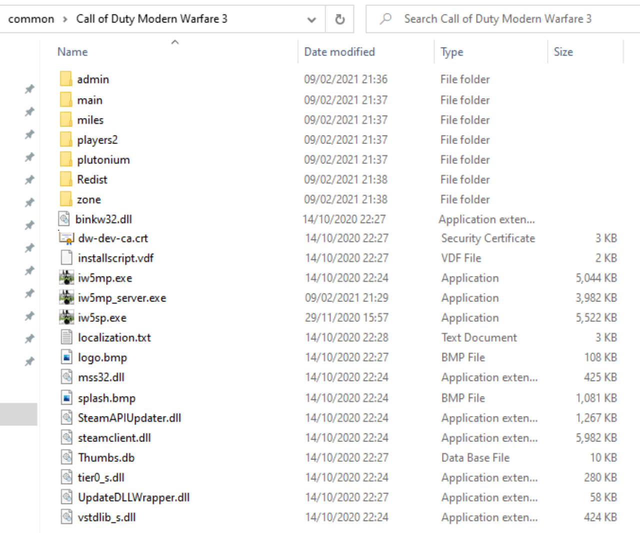
Folder: Call of Duty Modern Warfare 3

(If you ever need to reselect the game folder, simply click on Game Settings next to the PLAY button)


PLAY
Game Settings

For those struggling to locate your game folder, this is what the contents of the game folder will look like:


common › Call of Duty Modern Warfare 3
Search Call of Duty Modern Warfare 3

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main	09/02/2021 21:37	File folder	
miles	09/02/2021 21:37	File folder	
players2	09/02/2021 21:37	File folder	
plutonium	09/02/2021 21:37	File folder	
Redist	09/02/2021 21:38	File folder	
zone	09/02/2021 21:38	File folder	
binkw32.dll	14/10/2020 22:27	Application exten...	
dw-dev-ca.crt	14/10/2020 22:27	Security Certificate	3 KB
installscript.vdf	14/10/2020 22:27	VDF File	2 KB
iw5mp.exe	14/10/2020 22:24	Application	5,044 KB
iw5mp_server.exe	09/02/2021 21:29	Application	3,982 KB
iw5sp.exe	29/11/2020 15:57	Application	5,522 KB
localization.txt	14/10/2020 22:28	Text Document	3 KB
logo.bmp	14/10/2020 22:27	BMP File	108 KB
mss32.dll	14/10/2020 22:24	Application exten...	425 KB
splash.bmp	14/10/2020 22:24	BMP File	1,081 KB
SteamAPIUpdater.dll	14/10/2020 22:24	Application exten...	1,267 KB
steamclient.dll	14/10/2020 22:24	Application exten...	5,982 KB
Thumbs.db	14/10/2020 22:27	Data Base File	10 KB
tier0_s.dll	14/10/2020 22:24	Application exten...	280 KB
UpdateDLLWrapper.dll	14/10/2020 22:27	Application exten...	58 KB
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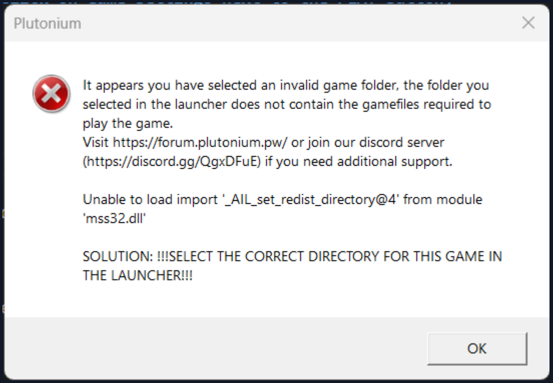
IW5 Error: Invalid Game Path

If you get this error then the folder that you selected during the setup doesn't contain the game files.


Plutonium
OK

It appears you have selected an invalid game folder, the folder you selected in the launcher does not contain the gamefiles required to play the game.
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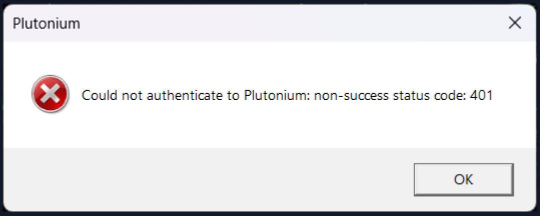
Unable to load import '_AIL_set_redist_directory@4' from module 'mss32.dll'

SOLUTION: !!!SELECT THE CORRECT DIRECTORY FOR THIS GAME IN THE LAUNCHER!!!

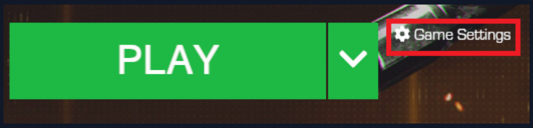
If you get this error then this means you selected your entire disk instead of the game folder.

`C:\` is not your Modern Warfare 3 folder.


Plutonium

Could not authenticate to Plutonium: non-success status code: 401

In both cases, the way to fix this issue is to click on Game settings in the launcher and to select the folder that contains the Modern Warfare 3 files.
If you can't find it then read the guide from the start again.


PLAY
Game Settings

Congratulations you have completed the installation guide.

To launch MW3 simply open the Plutonium launcher and select PLAY

> WARNING
>
> It will crash the first time you start the game as it needs to delete a file, this is to be expected, so simply launch again and you won't get the error again!

T4 (World at War)

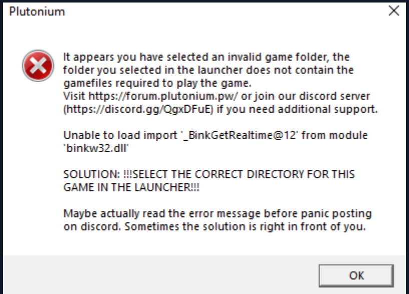
Setting up T4 with the Plutonium Launcher

Navigate to World At War, click on **SETUP** and then select your World At War game folder.
The folder you need to select is most likely called `Call of Duty World At War` and should be in `C:\Program Files (x86)\Steam\steamapps\common`.

(If you ever need to reselect the game folder, simply click on Game Settings next to the PLAY button)

T4 Error: Invalid Game Path

If you get this error then the folder that you selected during the setup doesn't contain the game files.


Plutonium
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gamefiles required to play the game.
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(https://discord.gg/QgxDFuE) if you need additional support.

Unable to load import '_BinkGetRealtime@12' from module
'binkw32.dll'

SOLUTION: !!!SELECT THE CORRECT DIRECTORY FOR THIS
GAME IN THE LAUNCHER!!!

Maybe actually read the error message before panic posting
on discord. Sometimes the solution is right in front of you.
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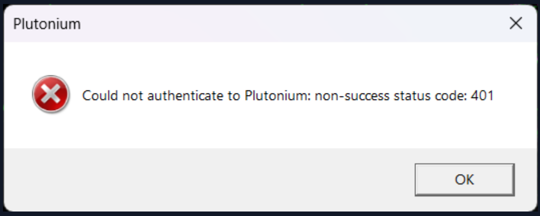
If you get this error then this means you selected your entire disk instead of the game folder.
`C:\` is not your World at War folder.


Plutonium
OK

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Could not authenticate to Plutonium: non-success status code: 401
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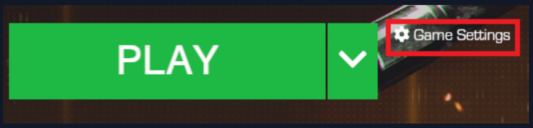

PLAY
Game Settings

Congratulations you have completed the installation guide.

To launch WAW simply open the Plutonium launcher and select PLAY

T5 (Black Ops 1)

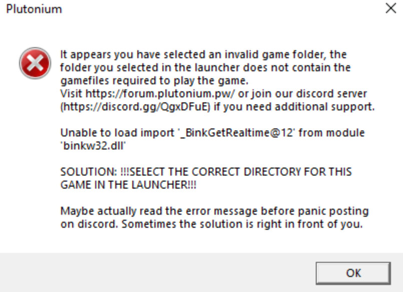
Setting up T5 with the Plutonium Launcher

Navigate to Black Ops, click on **SETUP** and then select your Black Ops game folder.
The folder you need to select is most likely called `Call of Duty Black Ops` and should be in `C:\Program Files (x86)\Steam\steamapps\common`.

(If you ever need to reselect the game folder, simply click on Game Settings next to the PLAY button)

T5 Error: Invalid Game Path

If you get this error then the folder that you selected during the setup doesn't contain the game files.



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Unable to load import '_BinkGetRealtime@12' from module 'binkw32.dll'

SOLUTION: !!!SELECT THE CORRECT DIRECTORY FOR THIS GAME IN THE LAUNCHER!!!

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If you get this error then this means you selected your entire disk instead of the game folder.
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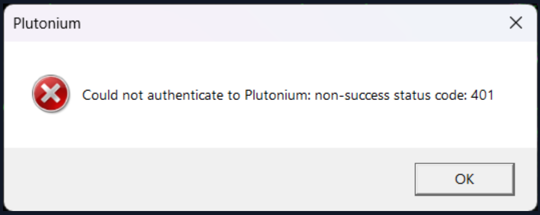

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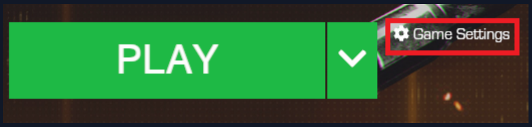
In both cases, the way to fix this issue is to click on Game settings in the launcher and to select the folder that contains the Black Ops files.
If you can't find it then read the guide from the start again.



PLAY
Game Settings

Congratulations you have completed the installation guide.

To launch BO1 simply open the Plutonium launcher and select PLAY

Guitar Hero III

This section will cover installing Guitar Hero III.

1. Download PreLoader.exe and save it to an empty Folder, PreLoader will download the Game Files into this Folder.
2. Launch PreLoader.exe and let it finish downloading and setting up.
3. Launch GH3.exe to start the Game.
4. When the Game prompts you if you want to play online confirm this, then choose to register a new Account.
5. Create a new Account using the Name and Password of your choice (**Name can contain Lowercase Letters only!**) and leave the "License" field empty.

WARNING

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That's it, have fun playing!

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